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## CORNER IS 'TRUST' HIGH COURT RULES

J. A. Patten Loses Fight to Quash Indictment—Must Stand Trial.

## REBUFF FOR UNION PACIFIC

Supreme Tribunal Holds That the Controversy Disposition of the Railroad's Stock Would Violate Court's Dissolution Decree.

Washington, Jan. 7.—By upholding certain disputed counts against James A. Patten and others, charged with a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law in running a so-called cotton corner, the Supreme court sent the case against the men to trial in the lower courts.

Patten, Eugene G. Scales, Frank B. Hayne and William P. Brown were indicted in New York on charges of conspiracy on January 11, 1910, to corner cotton by extensive buying on the New York cotton exchange as a result of which the price would be enhanced and ultimately bring arbitrary and excessive prices.

Plan for \$10,000,000 Profit. The conspiracy was described as calculated to yield \$10,000,000 in profits.

The alleged violation of the Sherman law was set forth in the indictment in eight different ways in as many counts, the defendants being liable for trial on any one.

Before the defendants could be placed on trial, the United States circuit court for Southern New York held insufficient four counts as not stating an offense. The government appealed from that decision to the Supreme court.

The decision settles the important question that a "corner" of any commodity is a restraint of interstate commerce and may be a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The decision does not determine the question of the guilt of Patten or the other defendants, but sends the case back to the lower court for trial on the facts with the important principle of law established that if a corner in cotton is proved, the Sherman statute is violated.

Narrowed Down to Two Counts. Because of similarity in the counts held insufficient the controversy in the Supreme court narrowed down to the validity of the third and seventh counts.

The third count had been attacked successfully as insufficient because it merely stated an alleged conspiracy to buy cotton and omitted to charge agreements to withhold cotton or sell in any particular manner.

The lower court said the defendants were not charged with "power" to control the market. The seventh count was the one specifically charging the defendants with "running a corner" on cotton futures. The lower court held that such a corner did not produce effects direct enough on interstate commerce to bring it within the Sherman anti-trust law.

Justice Vandevanter, in announcing the opinion, said the Supreme court at this time, under the law, was not authorized to review the lower court's construction or interpretation of the indictment as such, but only the lower court's interpretation of the statute. Therefore, he added, the court passed by those points raised by the government.

Justice Lurton announced a dissenting opinion, in which Chief Justice White and Justice Holmes concurred. The case will now go back to the federal court of southern New York for trial or other proceeding.

High Court Halts U. P. Plan.

The Supreme court held that the plan advanced by Union Pacific attorneys of disposing of the entire stock holdings of the Union Pacific Railroad company by transfer to the stockholders of the Union Pacific company would not so effectually end the Union Pacific merger as to comply with its dissolution decree.

## Tonnerman and Gordon Work 2 Hours to Draw

For two solid hours Ted Tonnerman and Young Jordan wrestled without a fall at the Dixon opera house last evening and at the end of that time, when both men were almost exhausted from the Herculean efforts they had put forth to end the unsettled question of supremacy, Referee Harry Stephan called the match, declaring it a draw.

The undecided question between the two clever mat artists was the second they have staged in their two meetings and mark a total of five and three-fourths hours wrestling by the two men, without a fall.

The two men, each ready for a grueling battle and each confident of winning the honors, went to the

## BOARD ADOPTS PAVING SCHEME

WILL GO AHEAD WITH BRICKING SECOND AND THE TRIBUTARY STREETS—UP O COUNCIL.

The board of local improvements yesterday at the public hearing on the proposed paving of Second and tributary streets, passed a resolution adopting the scheme, and accordingly the matter will now go to the city council, which body will doubtless pass the necessary ordinance. Proposed paving is on Second street, from Galena avenue west to Monroe, on Monroe from Third to First, on First from Monroe to Madison, and on Hennepin and Peoria avenues from Second to Third streets.

## FREAK DANCES TO STOP IN STERLING

CITY COUNCIL PASSED PROHIBITORY ORDINANCE IMPOSING FINE OF \$25.

Sterling, Jan. 7.—Special.—The city council last evening passed the anti-freak dance ordinance which has been under discussion. The ordinance prohibits all kinds of freak dances and imposes a fine of \$25 for participating in a freak step or for giving a dance at which such dancing is allowed.

## STERLING COUNCIL AFTER UTILITIES CO.

CUTS LIGHT BILL TEN PER CENT AND STOPS RAPID RUNNING OF THE CARS.

Sterling, Jan. 7.—Special.—The bill of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co. for street lighting during the month of December was cut 10 per cent by the city council last night, and the chief of police was also instructed to stop the operation of interurban cars through the city at a speed greater than 15 miles an hour.

## FARM NEAR PAWPAW BRINGS BIG PRICE

FRED GEHLFUSS PAYS \$250 PER ACRE FOR JAMES I. MOFFET FARM.

Another record price for Lee county land was established last week, when the James I. Moffet farm of 290 acres, which is three miles from Pawpaw, was sold to Fred Gehlfuss, the purchase price being \$250 per acre, a total of \$72,500. The farm is well improved and has long been considered one of the best in the vicinity of Pawpaw.

## REPRESENTATIVE GOES TO SPRINGFIELD MONDAY

Hon. John Devine went to Springfield last evening to take up his work as Representative.

## THREE TRAINS WERE ANNULLED TODAY

The snow storm has caused considerable delay of trains. Nos. 10, 2 and 8 on the Northwestern were so late this morning that they were annulled.

## VAN BIBBER WANTS BETTER CAR SERVICE

INTRODUCES A RESOLUTION AT COUNCIL MEETING REQUIRING CAR EVERY 30 MINUTES.

## ON WEST FELLOWS ST. LINE

Council Refers Matter to Mayor W. B. Brinton—The Bills for December Were \$2459.

WHAT THE COUNCIL DID. Passed monthly bills for December amounting to \$2459.75.

Deferred action on west end park matter until next meeting because of absence of Commissioner Gannon.

Referred resolution presented by Commissioner Van Bibber requiring S. D. & E. to operate car on West Fellows street every 30 minutes, to Mayor Brinton, commissioner of public affairs.

Last night's meeting of the city council, the first of the year, was not long, or as spirited as was anticipated, the absence of Commissioner M. J. Gannon, promoter of the west end park proposition, for which he filed an ordinance a week ago, preventing any discussion on that question, as the other commissioners decided it was best to await the presence of Mr. Gannon before arguing the matter further.

Street Car Service.

As was predicted, however, Commissioner Van Bibber had something to say concerning the street car service on West Fellows street, which the residents of that vicinity claim is very inconvenient since the inauguration of the new interurban schedule. Mr. Van Bibber pointed out that the interurban cars are the only ones that handle the city business in that territory and also stated that since the new service has been started the cars have not been running every 30 minutes as is provided by the ordinance. Therefore he introduced a resolution requiring the company to operate a car on the West Fellows street line every half hour, as is required by the company's franchise. The resolution, however, was not passed but was referred to Mayor Brinton, commissioner of the department of public affairs.

The bills for the month of December, amounting to \$2459.75, were read and ordered paid.

## DANIEL P. WINGERT DIED AT MT. MORRIS

PASSED AWAY AT HOME OF HIS DAUGHTER—FUNERAL TOMORROW.

Monday at 1:30 o'clock, at his home in Mt. Morris, Daniel Wingert died. He was living at the time with his daughter, Mrs. W. P. Trostle. He was aged 92 years and leaves two children, Mrs. Trostle of Mt. Morris and M. D. Wingert of Franklin Grove. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Trostle and Thursday interment will be made at Franklin Grove. Mr. Wingert was highly esteemed by a large circle of friends who will regret his passing.

## STERLING SALOONMEN WERE INDICTED

MAMMON AND REISKE CHARGED WITH SELLING LIQUOR TO MINORS—MOONEY INDICTED.

Sterling, Jan. 7.—Special.—The Whiteside county grand jury has returned indictments against three Sterling saloon men that will embarrass them considerably to get out of. John Mammon was indicted on 15 counts for selling liquor to minors, Herman Reiske got the same dose and John Mooney, who operated the famous White City east of Sterling last summer, was indicted on four counts for selling liquor to habitual drunkards, and was also indicted on 16 counts for selling liquor without a license.

## GRAND JURY FINDS BUT ONE TRUE BILL

EXCEPTIONALLY SHORT SESSION OF INQUISITORS ENDS THIS AFTERNOON.

The January grand jury, after being in session just 24 hours, reported to Judge Farrand shortly after 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, and their report shows just one indictment, a true bill being returned against W. E. Perry, who is charged with larceny. Perry is the man who is alleged to have stolen a diamond ring from the room of Miss Young at the Nachusa House.

Two other cases were investigated by the grand jury, but in neither of them did the jurymen consider the evidence sufficient to return a true bill. The jury also visited the county jail and reported to the court that they had found it in excellent condition. Following their report the jurymen were excused.

Court will be convened again tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, at which time the docket of old and new cases will be read and a trial list will be made up.

Sofolo Naturalized.

Judge Farrand this afternoon issued final naturalization papers to Frank Sofolo, who has a confectionery store on First street. H. C. Dixon and Joe Arrigo were the witnesses.

## ELKS MINSTRELS TO BE A GREAT SHOW

REHEARSALS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL AND A CLEVER PRODUCTION IS ASSURED.

Practically every arrangement has been made for the minstrel show to be given by the Elks at the opera house on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Jan. 20 and 21, and the indications are that the show will be one of the most successful home talent plays ever given here.

A chorus of nearly 40 male voices will furnish stirring harmony during the first part and the rehearsals, which have been held with regularity, show that the music will be a real feature of the show. A clever opening overture will be used and there will be solos by Curtis Rice, Ward Miller, John Null, B. F. Downing, Eli McCauley, J. B. Lennon and Charles Younts, and possibly one or two others.

A charming stage setting for the first part is being worked up, and it is planned to have a scene of unusual brilliancy meet the eyes of the audience when the curtain rises for the first performance.

## ANNOUNCES DATES FOR TEACHERS EXAMS.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT COMPLETES SCHEDULE FOR THE QUIZZES DURING YEAR.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller has announced the dates for his teachers' examinations, all of which will be held at the office at the court house:

Jan. 24-25.  
April 4-5.  
July 15-16.  
Oct. 3-4.

The forenoons of the first days will be given to U. S. history, arithmetic and penmanship, while the afternoons of each first day will be on geography, reading, grammar and orthography.

Second day forenoons will be occupied by examinations in civics, history of Illinois, physiology and pedagogy, and on the afternoons of the second days, botany, zoology and physics will be the subjects.

## ADDITIONS TO DIXON INN BARBER SHOP

John Hettler, who conducts a barber shop at the Dixon Inn, has added to his equipment another chair, which is one of the most improved models. John Nagle will assist Mr. Hettler.

## CO. CLERK ENJOINED BY JUDGE FARRAND

IS RESTRAINED FROM EXTENDING TAX AGAINST NORTHERN ILLINOIS RAILROAD CO.

## STATE BOARD MADE NO RETURN

But Auditor Certified to an Assessed Valuation of \$40,000 on the Railroad Stock.

Amboy, Lee Center and Bradford townships will be short about \$1200 in their taxes this spring as the result of a suit started in the Lee county circuit court yesterday afternoon by Attorneys Dixon & Dixon in behalf of the Northern Illinois Electric Railway company, which operates in those townships.

The suit is the result of an error at Springfield, but whether it was in the state auditor's office or in the clerkship of the board of equalization is not known. At any rate State Auditor McCullough recently certified to County Clerk W. C. Thompson that the state board of equalization had placed an assessed valuation of \$40,000 on the Northern Illinois Electric Railway Co.

Starts Spreading Tax.

On receipt of the certificate from the auditor, the county clerk at once commenced the spreading of taxes, as required by law. But in the meantime the attorneys for the railway company, feeling that the assessment was excessive for a line which is in course of construction, took the matter up with members of the board of equalization.

As a result of the investigation the lawyers found that the board had placed no taxation on the railroad in addition to that required by the town ship assessors, which is not on the right of way or equipment. Two members of the board sent affidavits to the effect that no assessment had been made and these members also stated that it was not the policy of the board to place heavy taxes on roads under construction.

Injunction Granted.

Accordingly the attorneys, armed with these two affidavits, started suit for temporary injunction in the circuit court yesterday, asking that the county clerk be enjoined from extending any taxes against the railroad company on the valuation returned by the auditor. After investigating the evidence Judge R. S. Farrand issued a temporary injunction and the case will not be heard until the April term, before which time the taxes will have been collected.

As a result the railroad company is saved about \$1200 in taxes and the road and bridge and town funds of the three townships will be short that amount.

## MANY ATTEND THE FLANAGAN FUNERAL

SERVICES WERE AMONG MOST LARGELY ATTENDED EVER HELD AT ST. PATRICK'S.

Despite the inclement weather the funeral of Wm. E. Flanagan, which was held this morning, was one of the largest ever held from St. Patrick's church, the large attendance testifying to the regard in which Mr. Flanagan's many friends held him. The floral tributes were profuse and very beautiful, and as a mark of respect each of the Dixon liquor dealers closed his place of business during the hours of the funeral.

## LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license was issued today to Delmar L. Power and Miss Rose A. Sharkey, both of Hamilton township.

## FLETCHER BUSINESS IS NOW SETTLED

Final legal steps in the settlement of the business of the Fletcher Manufacturing company were taken today when solicitors' fees were approved and allowed by Judge Farrand in the circuit court.

## MRS. CHAS. GUTHRIE DIED IN WISCONSIN

DEATH CLAIMED FORMER DIXON LADY DEC. 29—BURIAL ON NEW YEARS DAY.

Word has been received by friends here of the death of Mrs. Charles Guthrie, a former resident of Dixon, at her home in Kansas City, Mo., on Dec. 29, 1912, after a short illness. The deceased is survived by her husband and six children: Lena, Anna and Mrs. Mary Collier, and Robert, John and Leonard. A brother and sister living in Iowa also survive. Burial was at Kansas City on New Years day.

W. W. Lehman this morning received a telegram announcing the death of his aunt, Mrs. Darius Bartholomew, at her home in Batavia yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held at Batavia tomorrow afternoon, and Mr. Lehman will probably attend.

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO HOSPITAL PLEASE

FOWLS, GROCERIES, CASH AND OTHER ARTICLES ARE APPRECIATED.

The following contributions have been received at the hospital recently and it is needless to say they are very highly appreciated:

Turkey—George Downing.  
Turkey—Chicago Meat Market.  
Turkey—Scott Earle.  
Case of grape fruit—Countryman's.  
Salad dressing, grapes, jellies, celery, nuts—Hoon & Hall.  
Nuts and celery—Dixon Grocery.  
Basket of jelly—Mrs. Geo. Squires.  
Jelly, two chickens, eggs—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Witzleb.  
\$2.00—Mr. McGregg, of Franklin Grove.

## MRS. HARNED HAS LEFT THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Blake Grover has returned from a two weeks' visit in Evanston with her mother, Mrs. Lillian Harned, who recently submitted to a delicate operation for optic trouble. She reports that Mrs. Harned, who is convalescing very satisfactorily, has left the hospital and is now with her son, Frank Harned, at Winnetka.

## Investigators Puzzled By Leonard Bryan Case

Special Investigator E. C. Rockoffell of the Casualty department of the National Life Insurance company of Chicago, who has been working on the death of Leonard Bryan since the middle of last week, went to Chicago yesterday to see Mrs. Miles Bryan, mother of the dead newspaper man, and beneficiary of his life insurance policy. His efforts yesterday and this morning to see Mrs. Bryan failed, and this afternoon it was learned that Mrs. Bryan and son Louis, who have been in Chicago, returned at noon. Efforts to see Mrs. Bryan this afternoon to ascertain if she had seen the insurance officials, failed, but it is believed she did not meet Mr. Rockoffell, as messages from Chicago are to the effect that he could not locate the lady.

Evidence is Peculiar.

Mr. Rockoffell declares that his investigations have brought him to but one end—that the young man is dead. He has been unable to find how he came to his end, but frankly says that Bryan did not, in his opinion, reach the spot where he was found, at night, unaided. Mr. Rockoffell had a lengthy interview with Coroner Frey as to the state of the body when found and being well posted on such matters, declares it is his opinion that Bryan was not in a normal condition when he entered the water. In other words, from a medical standpoint Bryan was either unconscious asleep or drugged into semi-insensibility.

Medical Authorities Agree.

Medical authorities agree as to the condition of drowned persons. In no instance, however, has it been

## BALKAN STRUGGLE MAY BE RESUMED

Allies, Chagrined Over Turk's Stand, Suggest Breaking Off of Negotiations.

## POWERS LIKELY TO INTERVENE

Delegates of Allied States Prepare Statement Asking Indefinite Postponement of Congress Until Porte Had More Proposals.

Vienna, Jan. 7.—According to a dispatch from Sofia, Turkish and Bulgarian military delegates met outside Adrianople and discussed the question of capitulation. They are said to have met at the request of the commander of the Adrianople garrison.

London, Jan. 7.—Again rejecting the Turkish demands the Balkan peace envoys at five o'clock in the afternoon at St. James palace moved an adjournment of the peace conference sine die, at the same time informing the Turks that if all the allies' demands are not acceded within a reasonable period hostilities in European Turkey will be resumed 96 hours after the formal breaking off of the negotiations.

Powers May Intervene.

The period of 96 hours will give the powers ample time to take steps toward mediation if they desire to do so. The Balkan plenipotentiaries were plainly weary of the Turkish tactics and in an impatient mood when they assembled at four o'clock for the tenth session of the conference. All were prepared to formally declare the negotiations at an end, a declaration which was not forthcoming only because of the allies' sincere desire to give the Turks every advantage to offer satisfactory terms of settlement. Rehad Pasha read a long prepared statement, most of which was devoted to Turkey's wish that peace be restored. Concerning the demands of the Balkans, Rehad Pasha said his colleagues had manifested their willingness to surrender part of Thrace and Crete. He said nothing about Adrianople.

Adjourn Indefinitely.

The Balkan delegates then adjourned to their committee room and prepared a brief statement to the effect that Turkey had failed to meet the Balkan demands and the Balkan delegates were constrained to ask for an indefinite postponement, the conference to be resumed not until the Turks had prepared other and more acceptable proposals.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller today visited schools in Amboy and Lee Center.

## Investigators Puzzled By Leonard Bryan Case

shown that a person, even if he attempted suicide, could enter the water and deliberately drown himself without a struggle. His face would show the marks of strangulation as the water entered the lungs, even if he was a man of iron will. Neither could a conscious man drown without showing marks on his face of strangulation. Coroner Frey, who is a physician, as well as others, who examined the body, declare that when removed from the water the face was passive and bore the appearance of sleep. The other indications were as much indicative of drowning as they were against it.

How Did He Reach Spot?

How did Bryan reach the spot where he was found? Mr. Rockoffell declared vigorously that Bryan neither fell off the bank nor was he carried down, because of the position in which the body was found and the peculiar formation of the embankment. He must have entered or been carried or assisted through, under the Broadway culvert. It is dark and dismal under the culvert, while the formation of the ground is rough and stony. Bryan was near-sighted. He would have been unable to have gotten through without a tumble or two, while to have reached the spot where he was found, along the narrow shelf of rock, strewn with vines, branches and rocks, would have been a tremendous task at night and one of which he would hardly have been capable. It has also been shown that the water is considerably higher at night when the factories are down, than in the day time. Therefore the

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## Social Happenings

### 25th Anniversary.

Last Sunday relatives and friends to the number of 40 gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Miller near Franklin Grove to help them celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage. The affair was a total surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Miller and had been planned by their daughters, Miss Grace and Mrs. Adam Schafer. At noon a sumptuous scramble dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lott with an appropriate speech presented the couple with a beautiful collection of silverware. During the afternoon music was furnished by Cleo Thomas and Miss Pearl Broecker. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Krug of Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Broecker of Lee Center, Miss Anna Lookingland of Aurora and Miss Clara Klapprodt of Amboy.

### Missionary Society.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. L. Fordham, 907 Peoria avenue.

### Ahrens' Class Has Something.

On Friday evening in the basement of the church at 7:30 the members and gentlemen friends of 'Ahrens' class will foregather on pleasure and entertainment bent.

The Methodist church basement has been the meeting place of many most pleasant affairs of this crowd of gentlemen and from what can be learned of the coming event, promises something fully up to the standard.

All members together with friends are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served and no expense attached.

### At Dinner.

W. W. Lehman and family and Ed. Slough were entertained Saturday at dinner at the home of Ralph Lahman on the Chicago road.

### Hamilton Club.

The Hamilton club will meet with Mrs. Martin on North Crawford avenue, tomorrow afternoon.

### Baptist Missionary.

The regular meeting of the Baptist Missionary society will be held Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. O. Bradshaw, 410 Ottawa avenue.

### Not to Meet.

There will be no meeting of the Pioneer club this week.

### Dinner Club.

The Thursday Dinner club will meet with Mrs. M. J. Burright on Thursday.

### Chicken Dinner.

Mrs. M. W. Rowe's class of the M. E. Sunday school will serve chicken dinner in the basement of the church next Saturday noon.

### W. H. & M. Society.

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Owen Clymer. All members and friends are invited. Miss Mamie Remmers and Mrs. Clymer will be hostesses.

### D. A. R. Met Saturday.

Dixon chapter, No. 418, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at the home of Mrs. M. W. Rowe, 817 West Third street, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 4, with the usual large attendance.

After opening exercises and the usual reports and business, the chapter was entertained with an excellent paper by Mrs. Knight, 'Founders of the D. A. R.' In the year 1890, Aug. 9, Eugene Washington, Ellen Gardin Walworth, Mary Deshe and Mary S. Lockwood founded this patriotic society for women which, from that date, has increased its membership until today there are 25,000 members.

Feb. 25, 1898, D. A. R. presented these ladies with beautiful medals, in honor of the noble work done, in forming the organization.

Monuments and memorials over the country are lasting testimonials of the work the Daughters of the American Revolution have done in the preservation of historic places for the benefit of future generations.

Mrs. Dodge then read from the minutes of the state conference memorial to Mrs. LeVerne Noyes, the vice president-general from Illinois, who so recently was called to her reward. Very beautiful and fitting was the tribute paid this noble woman.

who was so great an inspiration to the D. A. R.

Following the reading of the paper Mrs. Rowe entertained the ladies with some beautiful musical selections on the graphonola. During the social hour which followed Mrs. Rowe, assisted by Mrs. Grose and Miss Anderson, served dainty refreshments.

### Meets Tomorrow Night.

The Women's Missionary society of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. C. Stauffer, 215 W. Fellows street, Wednesday evening at 7:45.

### At Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Slothower entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sproul and family.

### At Dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cortright of North Dixon entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cortright of Woosung and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Cortright of this city.

### Red Heads' Dance.

One of the most talked of dancing parties of the year will be given this evening at Rosbrook hall when, with Leaver's harp orchestra of Beloit furnishing the music, the Red Heads will entertain. A large attendance is assured.

### Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the parsonage.

### To Wed Tomorrow.

Tomorrow at 4 p. m., Miss Lorna Dement, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dement, will be united in marriage to Charles Henry Reynolds, of Janesville, Wis. It is to be a simple home wedding. The marriage will take place at the home of the bride's parents in the presence of the immediate relatives of the couple. Dr. Ralph Crissman will perform the ceremony.

### Birthday Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Beightel were victims of a very happy surprise Sunday, the occasion of the lady's birthday, when on returning from church they found her relatives gathered at her home. A scramble dinner had been prepared and was ready for serving.

### ANCIENT STONE SUN DIAL

It Was Built Into a Church Buttress, Probably in the Thirteenth Century.

The stone sun dial, probably of the thirteenth century, which has just been placed in the south wall of the chancel of West Clandon church, is likely to be of considerable interest to antiquaries. The dial, which has unfortunately lost its gnomon, was till recently built into the western side of a buttress, having apparently been regarded as a piece of stone of no value. The stone on which the dial is cut is of chalk and the dial is about a foot across. The engraving of the lines on the face is deep and sharp, the stone being in a good state of preservation, and the hole in which the gnomon had been fixed is wide and deep. At each of those positions on the face of the dial which in a clock would be called the quarters four dots are engraved, but these dots are arranged in different positions. Sun dials such as that at West Clandon are not at all rare and at one time they were probably placed on every church. Indeed, at Saltwood, in Kent, there are three close together, but particular interest attaches to the specimen at West Clandon from the fact that it is much nearer perfect than is generally the case.—The Guardian.

### The Quickest, Simplest Cough Cure

Easily and Cheaply Made at Home. Saves You \$2.

This recipe makes a pint of cough syrup—enough to last a family a long time. You couldn't buy as much or as good cough syrup for \$2.50.

Simple as it is, it gives almost instant relief and usually stops the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. This is partly due to the fact that it is slightly laxative, stimulates the appetite and has an excellent tonic effect. It is pleasant to take—children like it. An excellent remedy for whooping cough, croup, sore throat, asthma, throat troubles, etc.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 1 1/2 pint of warm water and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and add the Sugar Syrup. It keeps perfectly. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Pinex is one of the oldest and best known remedial agents for the throat membranes. Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in quinine and all the other natural healing elements. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

The prompt results from this recipe have endeared it to thousands of housewives in the United States and Canada, which explains why the plan has been imitated often, but never successfully.

A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

## ON BOARD A WARSHIP

Native of Arkansas Visits Craft Bearing State's Name.

Seventy-Foot Descent of Steel Ladders Grows Warmer and Warmer as They Proceed Toward the Bottom.

New York.—On most of the big battleships at anchor in the Hudson river the sign "No Visitors Allowed" bars sight-seeing in certain parts of the boat, but when a man who demonstrated that he was from Arkansas boarded the superdreadnought of that name they gave him a little badge which set forth that no signs applied to him.

He wasn't a "visitor," they said, he was a guest, and there wasn't any place aboard that boat he couldn't go.

The man from Arkansas was game, and he said he'd go everywhere, and he took a reporter with him, because, as he said: "I'm liable to forget some of these things I see; so if you jot it down and write a piece in the paper about it, I'll always be able to recall every bit of it."

Ensign Lammers, officer of the deck, summoned Sideboy Johnson to take the man from Arkansas to Bo'sun Graves, and Bo'sun Graves immediately detailed Seaman Taylor to act as guide.

"Take this little party anywhere they care to go aboard the Arkansas, except the captain's cabin," was his command.

"Aye, aye, sir," Seaman Taylor replied. (Note, you always say "Aye, aye, sir," to the boss.) Seaman Taylor explained that it was a custom in the navy.

The man from Arkansas thought that there was no use in having such an opportunity given him unless he made the most of it, so he told Seaman Taylor that he believed he would visit just those parts of the biggest battleship which had signs saying, "No Visitors Allowed" hanging over them.

He left it all to Seaman Taylor, and Taylor thought the best idea would be to start at the bottom and work up.

Starting from the gun deck, then, the man from Arkansas was treated first to a seventy-foot descent, most of it by means of steel ladders and steep steel stairways lined with chains or steel rails which got warmer and warmer the farther down he went.

Chief Water Tender R. H. P. Hansen took the man from Arkansas by the hand in the stokehold. Mr. Hansen bosses 120 men down there, he explained, in batches of thirty at a time.

Only one of the twelve mammoth furnaces of the Arkansas was going, but the man from Arkansas said it was almost too hot for him, because, he said, he had been living in a New York apartment this fall, and naturally he wasn't used to so much heat.

"Here's the quickest way out," said Hansen, "although, of course, it's a rather rough trip. We have a better way, though, and here is something they didn't have aboard the Titanic, nor, so far as I know, aboard anything except the very latest boats."

He pointed out a snug little wire cage elevator, automatic and dedicated for the private use of the men in the fire room. By climbing into that cage the men from the fire room, which is the lowest part of the big battleship in which the men work, can be shot up to the gun deck in ten seconds.

### PROPOSES AS JOKE; ACCEPTED

Girl Disappears, However, and Harvard Student is Sorrowful by Loss.

Cambridge, N. J.—Jimmy Ryan, a Harvard sophomore, is conducting a search for a girl to whom he became engaged the other night, and whom he had never seen before. Ryan and two others were neophytes at a fraternity initiation, and were instructed to ask every girl they met to marry them. One girl—"the handsomest girl I ever saw"—according to Ryan, attracted the youth's eye in Watertown square, and on bended knee he begged her to be his. Much to his surprise and to the chagrin of those in charge of the initiation the girl led him aside and accepted his proffered heart. Then, taking two little pendants from her ears she placed them on those of the entranced Jimmy to bind the agreement and disappeared around the corner.

Ryan says he will find her if he has to hire a detective.

### CHURN IS BABY INCUBATOR

Colorado Farmer Improvises Heater to Save New-Born Son, and It May Live.

Grover, Colo.—An incubator made of the family wash tub and a farm churn is fighting for a baby life on the homestead of Otto Freebough. And it is winning the battle.

When the attending physician told Freebough that his incubator or death for his new-born son, the homestead, lacking money, answered the challenge.

He filled the wash tub with hot water, and put into it the farm churn containing the infant. Then all night, with a thermometer at hand, he watched the fight his son was making.

He changed the water as its temperature fell and cheered his wife with good news.



SCENE FROM THE THIRD DEGREE, TO BE PRESENTED AT THE OPERA HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT.

## UGH! HOW CHILDREN HATES CASTOR OIL

Delicious "Syrup of Figs" Best to Cleanse Their Little Clogged Bowels.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the physic that mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. The day of harsh physic is over. We don't force the liver and 30 feet of bowels now; we coax them. We have no dreaded after effects. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their little stomachs and tender bowels are injured by them.

If your child is fretful, peevish, half sick, stomach sour, breaths feverish and its little system full of cold; has diarrhoea, sore throat, stomach-ache, don't eat or rest well—remember—look at the tongue, if coated give a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs, then don't worry, because you surely will have a smiling child in a few hours.

Syrup of Figs being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and "romatics, simply cannot be harmful. It sweetens the stomach, makes the liver active and thoroughly cleanses the little one's waste-clogged bowels. In a few hours all that sour bile, undigested fermenting food and constipated waste matter gently moves on and out of the system without gripping or nausea.

Directions for children of all ages, also for grown-ups, plainly printed on the package.

By all means get the genuine. Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. Accept nothing else.

### SHOVEL OFF THE SNOW.

Dixons were aroused from their beds this morning by the scraping of the snow shovels of their more industrious neighbors. In most cases they took the hint and were soon actively engaged on the business ends of their own snow scrapers. The city plow was out bright and early and did good work in clearing a path along the more important thoroughfares.

Most Dixon folks take a commendable pride in the up-keep of their property, and in the winter time they keep their walks clear of snow. The few who do not probably pay for their neglect and laziness when they see others stumbling through the drifts in front of the house.

### SUBMITTED TO OPERATION

George A. May of W. Third street, who was operated upon at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital yesterday, is getting along nicely today.

### WEATHER FAIR TOMORROW

Heavy snows have descended in this vicinity all day today with no sign of cessation, but the weather forecast for Wednesday is fair and slightly warmer, with moderate northerly winds.

## City In Brief

Miss Addie Howell returned Monday from a week's visit in Chicago with relatives.

W. J. McAlpine is in Chicago today on business.

Joe Dauntler is in Franklin Grove today.

Raymond McGowan is in Chicago today on business.

Manager L. E. Marshall is in Chicago today in the interest of the I. N. U. Company.

H. R. Davlin of Watertown, S. D., is spending a few days in Dixon with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Davlin, 822 Ottawa avenue.

O. M. Rogers is in Chicago today on business.

John Shaunessy of Freeport was here today to attend the funeral of Wm. E. Flanagan.

Robert Teachout shipped a carload of stock to the Chicago market Sunday evening.

John Dolan of Chicago is here to attend the funeral of Wm. E. Flanagan.

Ira Lahman of Franklin Grove was here Saturday.

Elmer Cline of Franklin was here Saturday.

Miss Edna Zarger of Franklin was here last Saturday.

Attorney E. H. Brewster was in Morrison Monday on business in the probate court.

W. H. Junk returned to his home in Joliet yesterday.

Albert Vesta of Creston was here Monday to enter his son in the Coppins college.

Miss Anna Fagan returned today to her school duties at Notre Dame, Belleville, St. Louis.

C. M. Swern, transacted business in Clinton, yesterday.

Sam Baker is making a short visit in Mendota.

George Beckingham of Rockford was here yesterday.

E. C. Houston of Sterling was here yesterday.

Judge H. C. Ward of Sterling was in Dixon yesterday.

Dick Dement returned from Waukesha, Wis., and was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Hawley Wilbur and children.

C. E. Jackson of Chicago was here yesterday.

John Conlon of Franklin who has been Attending Coppins' Commercial college, has accepted a position as bookkeeper and stenographer with a lumber company at Rantoul. Mr. Conlon finished his course in four months.

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## MISS ETHEL LONG IS NOW A NURSE

GRADUATES FROM THE MICHAEL REESE HOSPITAL SATURDAY—BUT FIVE OTHERS.

Miss Ethel Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Long of this city, has returned to Dixon after completing her three years' course in training for nurses at the Michael Reese hospital, Saturday just five of the twenty-five girls who started in the class with Miss Long, graduated with her. On Jan. 22 Miss Long will return to Chicago to take the state board examination, to be held on the 23rd. She took the course in training with out missing a day, which is a remarkable record. Her friends will rejoice in her success.

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## DEMENTTOWN

## ... DOINGS

Many a heart is still beating timidly awaiting the report of the grand jury.

Heard on the Ave.: 'Hear about So and So beating his wife up this morning?' 'No. Why, the son of a gun. What'd he do?' 'Oh, he got up at 4:30 and she didn't get up until 7.' (Business of rushing to the corner).

One should be careful not to form any opinion on the Tripoli war until one has seen the films.

As we have attempted to indicate before, a great deal depends on one's viewpoint. Frinstance, there's the fellow who thinks Chicago is the most important city in the country, while his wife thinks just as emphatically that Reno deserves the honor.

## Goose Hollow Letter.

One of the pool balls suddenly flew off the table and disappeared during a game in the Golden Nugget saloon five weeks ago and its whereabouts was a mystery until yesterday when Amariar Tilson, our tontorial artist, found it in Grandpa Bibbins' whiskers. 'Am' got a drink for taking it back to the Golden Nugget and says he is going to examine all whiskers in the future. Who knows but some day he might find a pianola or a 45-candlepower automobile.

It don't pay to rub a cat or a plug hathe wrong way.

T. Egbert Peavey expects to leave soon for the city to accept a lucrative position as second mandolin in a barber shop.

Amos Butts, livery, feed and sales stable, and undertaking with neatness and dispatch, also folding chairs to rent, says he has got a roan gelding which went better than three-ten on a kite-shaper track to trade for three bushels of potatoes and a cord of wood. If the other fellow will throw in a wringer, grind stone, box of red herring and a set of false teeth

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Mrs. Anson Frisby told a friend that she cut Mrs. Hank Tumms dead the other day. Constable Extra Hand is working on the case but he ain't found no murder clues yet.

Grandpa Bibbins has got a new set of false teeth made out of second hand planner keys he got at a bargain down to the city.

Sombody must be dead in Tage Wilson's family. He is wearing his pants at half-mast at this writing.

Arrangements are being made to receive the next message of the president by rounds at the barber shop.

Young fellows part their hair in the middle and show that they have got a soft spot in their heads and old fellows part their hair on the sides to cover it up.

Rev. Mr. Hudnutt says there is one good thing about an atheist. He never goes to sleep in church.

The new trimmer at Miss Amy Stubbs' millinery emporium has two colors of hair, dark near the scalp and yellor at the ends. Elmer Spink expects to hang her a May basket next spring.

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## WOMEN HOLD SESSION

National Democratic League Starts First Annual Session.

Lively Battle Is Expected Over Naming the President of the Organization at Convention.

Washington, Jan. 7.—With the prospect of a lively battle over the presidency of the organization, the Women's National Democratic League began its first annual convention today at the Hotel Willard. Mrs. John Sherwin Crosby, who was elected president last June when the league was organized, was in the chair.

Mrs. Crosby announced that neither Mrs. Woodrow Wilson nor Mrs. Thomas Marshall, wives of the president and vice-president-elect, would be present at the convention, as they preferred to postpone their visit to the capital until the inauguration ceremonies in March.

There was no lack of other notable Democratic women, however. Prominent among those present were Mrs. William Jennings Bryan, Mrs. Stephen B. Ayres, wife of the congressman from New York; Mrs. William A. Cullup, wife of the congressman from Indiana; Mrs. Eugene F. Kinkadee, wife of the congressman from New Jersey; Mrs. Henry L. Edmunds of St. Louis; Mrs. Adlai E. Stevenson, wife of the last Democratic vice-president of the United States; Mrs. Oscar W. Underwood, wife of the Democratic floor leader of the house, and Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the speaker of the house.

## JUDGE'S WIFE WITNESS

Mrs. Archbald Testifies Before Senate Trial Body.

Declares She Is Cousin of Litigant With Whom Jurist Took Trip—Just a Family Party.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The unusual scene of a woman testifying in the senate chamber was witnessed here at the impeachment trial, when Mrs. Archbald, wife of the accused judge of the commerce court, took the stand to testify of her family relationship with Henry W. Cannon.

One of the charges against Judge Archbald is that he accepted Cannon's hospitality on a trip to Europe, and that Cannon, as a director in corporations and railroads, was a possible litigant before his court. Mrs. Archbald testified she was cousin to Mr. Cannon and that she had often been on trips with him and his family, and recounted several journeys with the Cannons to support the contention of the defense that the trip to Europe was more or less of a family affair and nothing unusual.

Judge Archbald, called to the stand, said he was in his sixty-fifth year and was just beginning his twenty-ninth year of service as a judge of various courts. Judge Archbald gave a full account of his relations with various litigants, and denied any improper conduct.

## EIGHT KILLED BY BLAST

Steam Pipe Bursts on French Battleship While at Sea.

Toulon, Jan. 7.—Eight men were killed by an explosion in the stokehold of the French battleship Massena. Accompanied by two cruisers on the way to Bizerta, the Massena was passing Hyeres islands when the steam collector pipe of one of the boilers burst. The Massena was stopped immediately and engine room employees rushed to the stokehold, where they found a petty officer, six stokers and an artificer dead on the steel floor. The ship landed the bodies at the St. Mandrier Naval hospital. The cause of the accident has not been ascertained. The steam piping was renewed two years ago and was thoroughly tested last year.

## FIGHT FROST WITH FIRE

Fruit Growers of California Start Smudge Pots in Orange Groves.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 7.—Dense palls of smoke from the smudge pots in orange groves overspread the entire citrus region of southern California in an effort to prevent tremendous damage from the coldest weather known in this vicinity for years. Ice formed everywhere. The weather bureau here reported killing frost on all the shelves of the foothills where orange growers for years have known no dangerous temperatures. Riverside, in the heart of the orange belt, was the coldest spot of all.

## ROCKEFELLER IN NASSAU

Oil Magnate Is Now Reported Resting in Bahama Islands.

Miami, Fla., Jan. 7.—Persons arriving here from the Bahama Islands state that William Rockefeller, wanted as a witness before the Pulo money trust investigating committee, is staying at a hotel in Nassau. At the steamship offices it was said that Mr. Rockefeller sailed from Miami on the steamer Miami last Thursday. He came to Miami from Palm beach in the private car of President Parrott of the Florida East Coast railroad.

## Taft Renominates C. P. Neill.

Washington, Jan. 7.—President Taft renominated Charles P. Neill to be commissioner of labor. Other nominations sent to the senate included that of Herman Terness as postmaster at Dubuque, Ia.

## Hunt in Fear of Poisoner.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Anthony Hunt of Winnetka, who became insane at the White House, has the idea that some one is trying to poison him and it is impossible to get him to take medicine or nourishment until it is tasted by one of his friends.

MRS. JAMES B. REYNOLDS



Mrs. Charles Hearne of Mobile, Ala., was married the other day to James B. Reynolds of Washington, who was a member of the tariff board.

## OCEAN GALES DAMAGE

Ships Reach Port in Most Dilapidated Condition.

Many Vessels Reported in Distress at Sea, While Others Are Floating Masses of Wreckage.

New York, Jan. 7.—Steamers that reached port here bring evidence and reports of the damage that the recent terrific gale has wrought on the stormy Atlantic. The Madonna, from Marseilles, had her bulwarks stove in, her bridge, rails torn away and her steerage flooded on January 3, and sustained other damage about her decks that will make it necessary for her to be repaired before she leaves again for Mediterranean ports.

The steamer Highbury, which arrived from Santos and Barbadoes, reported passing the abandoned bark Carrie Winslow, with the loss of her foretopmast and main topgallant mast and the sails torn into ribbons.

The Cunarder Franconie on January 4 passed a one-funnel, two-masted steamer; hoisted in the gale and could not learn her name.

When the Bermudian was midway between Bermuda and New York, on January 5, she passed the bark Dorciea, bound from Mobile to Rio Janeiro, abandoned with stumps of her fore and mizen mast standing. The Dutch steamer Vanderland encountered heavy gales and seas the entire voyage from Rotterdam, and the Alberto Treves, which left Seville December 16, had the most tempestuous passage since she was launched.

The Savile, with 700 passengers, was nearly two days late and her cabin voyagers reported that during a poker game with a big pot on the table, and one of the players holding four sixes, a green sea smashed the smoking room door and swept the table clean of cards, money and glasses.

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Covington, Ind., Jan. 7.—Enos H. Hebecker, treasurer of the United States in the Benjamin Harrison administration, died at his home here.

## GOMPERS IN PLEA FOR DYNAMITERS

Says Violence Is Answer to "Injustice and Tyranny" Invoked by Employers.

## HITS RULE BY INJUNCTION

Labor Chief Makes an Attack on the Presiding Judge of Bomb Trial in an Address Before the Committee of the House.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, speaking before the senate subcommittee on judiciary in favor of the Clayton anti-injunction and contempt bills, gave answer to criticisms aimed at the organization of workers which he heads because of the trial and conviction for dynamiting of officers of the Structural Iron Workers' union.

"If ever the time shall come," said Mr. Gompers in the climax of his address, "when government by dynamite shall be attempted (and let us hope and work that it never shall come), it will have as its main cause the theory and policy upon which is based government by injunction—personal government foisted upon our people instead of a government by law."

## Not to Repudiate Union.

In closing his statement, which included an attack upon employers' and manufacturers' associations, particularly the United States Steel corporation and the National Erectors' association, Mr. Gompers declared that organized labor would not repudiate the Structural Iron Workers' union "and leave them helpless and at the mercy of organized capital and insatiable, unscrupulous greed for profits."

"Though all censure those whom men may deem guilty of a dynamite conspiracy," the federation leader continued, "none feels the terrible consequences of the Indianapolis trial more keenly than the men of organized labor. There have been added heartache and sorrow to our heavy burdens. The men accused and sentenced cannot suffer the penalties alone—upon them and all workingmen fall the suffering and penalty."

"But what of the conspiracy of organized capital—the conspiracy to murder the liberty of the toilers, to tear from them the means of protection by which they have bettered their condition, to leave them bare and defenseless in the competitive struggle? Is not such a conspiracy sufficiently dastardly to incur some odium? Should the conspirators, with their hands stained with life blood of men's ambition, happiness, liberty, be accorded nothing but honor, power, respectability? Should they be allowed to continue to manipulate the powers of government, the administration of justice until the oppressed find the burden intolerable."

## Refers to Judge at Trial.

"More wise it is to seek social justice while yet we may. The judge who presided at the trial realized one of the issues—government by injunction, lawless, autocratic, irresponsible exercise of government authority, according privileges to the strong and denying justice to the weak."

Judge Anderson, who presided over the trial of the ironworkers, was referred to particularly by Mr. Gompers, when he declared that "our whole social organization seems to be on trial."

"Even the judge who tried the case, smugly assured of personal responsibility," Mr. Gompers said, "fatuously declared that evidence in this case will convince any impartial person that government by injunction is infinitely to be preferred to government by dynamite."

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## U. S. S. PANTHER LOST

Repair Steamer Cannot Be Located by Wireless.

Feared That Vessel, With Her Crew of 120 Men, Has Foundered in an Atlantic Storm.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Every government wireless station along the Atlantic coast spluttered in an attempt to locate the naval repair ship Panther, which sailed from New York last Thursday and which has not been heard from since she passed the Virginia capes on Friday at the beginning of the terrific storm which swept the Atlantic coast.

Naval officials here, while saying that the repair ship would not communicate with the land stations until she arrived at Guantanamo, nevertheless, are worried over her lack of attention to the wireless calls which have been sent out in pursuance to orders from Secretary of the Navy Meyer.

The Panther carries 120 men and is due to reach Guantanamo tomorrow. If nothing be heard of her within the next 24 hours it is likely that the fast cruisers will be sent to search for her.

## MRS. FOX SEEKS DIVORCE

Fritz Scheff Wants to Separate From Novelist Husband.

New York, Jan. 7.—The report first heard last fall that Fritz Scheff, the prima donna, had filed suit, or was about to file suit, for a separation from her husband, John Fox, Jr., the novelist, was definitely confirmed here when it became known that a referee is now hearing the evidence through which Mrs. Fox hopes to be granted her freedom. The trouble between the novelist and his wife seems to have grown out of widely divergent callings and temperaments.

## INVESTIGATORS PUZZLED BY LEONARD BRYAN CASE

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shelf would have been narrowed to two or three feet in width.

### Could Not Have Floated.

Owing to the depth of the water, Bryan could not have fallen from the government dam, as has been claimed by some, and floated in. Had he done so his face would have borne the marks of strangulation, or drowning, as previously stated, while his hat, which was found almost beside the body, would hardly have followed the body, even though the water were deep enough for the body to have floated, which, experts declare, is not.

### Was Not Intoxicated.

An effort on the part of some scouters to prove that Bryan was intoxicated, has been smashed into a cocked hat by Mr. Rockefeller. He has found half a dozen or more witnesses all of whom talked with Bryan between 10 and 12 o'clock, and all of whom are ready to swear that he was perfectly sober and in a happy frame of mind.

### Detective is Baffled.

As a result of these investigations, Mr. Rockefeller acknowledges himself to be baffled. He declares that only an autopsy can show for sure, the presence or absence of a murder clue. While here Mr. Rockefeller interviewed dozens of witnesses both in Sterling and Morrison all of whom gave statements leading him to the same conclusion.

### AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

The mid-week prayer meeting at the Baptist church will assume the form of a business meeting this week. Reports from all departments in the church will be read and as soon as each comes up it will be discussed and a prayer will be offered for the welfare of same. All members are requested to make an effort to attend.

E. E. Miller of Freeport was here yesterday.

Ed Curtin of Harmon is here for a few days.

## Dramatic Notes

### DIXON OPERA HOUSE.

Ever since Chas. Klein achieved success with The Lion and the Mouse every announcement concerning a new play by this author is read with interest. It will doubtless afford pleasure to local playgoers to know that the United Play Co. will present at the opera house on Friday, Jan. 10, Mr. Klein's latest play, 'The Third Degree.' Like The Lion and the Mouse, an attempt has been made to disclose certain conditions that exist but in this instance, instead of taking up the realm of finance, civic institutions are the subject of the debate.

### WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES COMMENCE

Last evening the first service of the week of prayer at the Presbyterian church was held, and Dr. Crissman gave a most interesting address. He will also speak this evening. Services will be held each evening this week except Saturday.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. E. Curran to Hugh Curran, wd. \$1, pt lot 2 blk 12, Hines' add, Dixon.

Michael Murphy to J. H. Dempsey, qcd, \$1, nh ch wh neff, 23, Marion.

M. M. O'Connor to T. J. Holahan, wd \$2,000, pt lots 11 and 12, blk 54, N Dixon.

T. J. Holahan to R. H. Commons, wd \$2,000, same as last.

### ED. DONOVAN LOST

MEAT MARKET IN FIRE  
Ed Donovan, brother of Dan Donovan of this city, was one of the victims of the fire at Danville night before last, when damage to the extent of \$75,000 was done. Mr. Donovan lost one of the meat markets in that city.

### APPLIES FOR AID

ALLOWED THE BLIND  
John Triplet of 'nboy, blind, today made application to the county clerk for county aid, which is allowed under the statute.

## LOOKING TOWARD OLD AGE

Some Reflections as to a Record That Comes to the Majority of Mankind.

Whether long life be a blessing or not God alone can determine, who alone knows what length it is like to run, and how it is like to be attended. Socrates used to say that it was pleasant to grow old with good health and a good friend; and he might have reasoned, a man may be content to live while he is no trouble to himself or friends; but after that, it is hard if he be not content to die.

In life, as in wine, he that will drink it good, must not draw it to the dregs. Where this happens, one comfort of age may be, that whereas younger men are usually in pain whenever they are not in pleasure, old men find a sort of pleasure whenever they are out of pain; and as young men often lose or impair their present enjoyments by craving after what is to come, by vain hopes or fruitless fears, so old men relieve the wants of their age by pleasing reflections upon what is past.

Therefore, men in the health and vigor of their lives should endeavor to fill their lives with reading, with travel, with the best conversation, and the worthiest actions, either in public or private station; that they may have something agreeable left to feed on when they are old, by pleasing remembrances.

## RATS SETTLE AN OLD SCORE

In Numbers They Mutilate a Vellum Copy of Browning's 'Pied Piper of Hamelin.'

Rats invaded Wall street a few nights ago and made a vicious assault upon Robert Browning's poem of the Pied Piper of Hamelin. In that poem, it will be remembered, the rats do not have a very good reputation. So far as known, this is the first case of retaliation by the rats against Browning for the hard things he accused them of. George D. Smith, a dealer in rare books, discovered the evidences of the fray early one morning. The particular volume of the Pied Piper upon which the rats vented their spite was an unusually handsome copy printed on vellum and illustrated with quaint views of the Piper and the army of rats in his wake wending their way to the river. The illustrations and decorated borders were by Harry Quilter, and the book was printed in London in 1898. It is not a rare book, but is a choice edition of the 'Pied Piper' and very few have ever been printed on vellum. The volume was on a shelf with some other vellum books in Mr. Smith's shop. All edges of the book from top to bottom were nibbled down close to the printed text and it is a curious fact that one or two falls of the rats in the decorated borders have been eaten off.

### Arts and Crafts Idea.

We have all seen very attractive bits of jewelry made from gold or silver coins by having the background space etched away, leaving only the head and the encircling rim with a few little connecting bars. The same idea can be carried out by using for the head a little silhouette portrait, made by posing the subject against a bright sky through a window in a room, darkened all except that one window, then taking a snapshot. A camera taking a picture two inches by three is large enough and the whole head should be less than an inch. Take several pictures until a good outline is obtained. A baby's head is exquisite and done in silver would be a beautiful scarfpin. For such a pin have only the head without an encircling rim. A mother's baby's head in gold would make a pendant that would be a great treasure. For a man who has two small sons I am planning cuff links, each link to have at one end a "different" boy, the other end of the link, of course, to be the usual dumbbell.—Delineator.

### Simple Dimples.

She had a dimple in each cheek—a deep, dainty, loving, kissable, delicious dimple. "Ah!" exclaimed the young fool, "how I wish I had dimples like that;" and he reached out his hand and patted them softly.

The maiden smiled until the dimples were a hundred times lovelier than before, and the youth was completely captured. He took her for drives in the park. Then he took her to a hotel and treated her to a dinner such as visiting princes indulge in at the expense of the government. Next they went to the theater and occupied a box, and after that they sought out a cozy cafe.

And since then he has had two dimples, two deep, cavernous, empty dimples, one in each side of his purse, and they will stay there until next pay day.

### Stone Microbes.

The decay of building stones, according to more than one authority, is not due to wind action or other surface influence, but to internal disintegration resembling wood rot, and this is ascribed by some to a low organism like the fungi and the molds that cause the decay of vegetable substances.

A cure has been found for the stone disease, or at least a form of treatment that diminishes its ravages. The stones are treated with germicides, the best of which appears to be a mixture of sulphate of copper solution with bichloride of mercury and creosote.



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For January

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## HARMON NEWS

They will soon be done plastering the Catholic church. They have been at it several days.

The house for the priest is going up. They have been laying the wall. If the weather remains favorable the walls will soon be finished.

Jacob Rhodenbaugh has been at work on his house. He will have the frame up soon, as three or four men are at it. He will have four gables on it, which will make a fine appearance when completed.

James Fagan has a number of cattle sick with the dysentery, which seems to be fatal.

The farmers have been busy shelling and marketing corn. Among them were John Blackburn, John McKee and Reuben Conklin. Extra trains were required to haul it away as many cars are loaded daily when they can be secured.

Mr. Blackburn says he is not sorry for buying an upright piano for his daughter Katie. She has only taken ten lessons and is getting along very nicely. We all hope she will some day be as good a player as her sisters, Josie, Nellie and Anna.

James Morrissy, who got his daughter Mary an upright piano, says he is not sorry for getting one for her. She has only taken 8 lessons so far, and plays nicely and we all hope that some day she will be able to play as well as her aunt, Nellie Long.

Joseph Dick is here visiting with his parents. He has been working in Ogle county.

W. H. Kugler was out working on the telephone lines last Friday. The line from Harmon to Sterling is out of commission. He was to meet the Sterling manager on the line to find the trouble.

The poultry buyers are still very active.

James Layden has rallied some and seems to be better, but it is only temporary; he may get back again worse than ever.

W. P. Poisel was here from Hamilton Friday.

Harry Warner was in town Friday on business.

The masquerade ball of the Jolly 8 club takes place on Wednesday evening at Derr's hall; they anticipate a good time.

Albert McDermott of Marion was here Friday.

Peter Larkin of Marion was here Friday.

Fred Shaffer is out with his arm in a sling. His horse kicked him, breaking the bone, which will lay him up for some time.

Fred Kelly of Hamilton was here Friday.

John Johnson of Marion was here Friday.

Miss Clara McCune of Sterling was here Friday teaching her class in music.

Henry Schulte was here Friday evening.

Mrs. P. H. Smith entertained at dinner New Years day Mr. and Mrs. Purcell and family of North Dakota, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Williams and

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of all sizes and kinds, which will be sold very cheap. This consignment was intended for Christmas trade and in order to dispose of them we will close them out at very low prices.

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### ELECTION NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Town of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, on Monday, January 27, 1913, for the following purposes:

(1). To determine the question whether or not the following described territory, to-wit: All the territory embraced in the Town of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, bounded as follows: On the north by Ogle County, on the east by the Town of Nachusa, in Lee County, on the south by the Town of South Dixon, in Lee County, and on the west by the Town of Nelson, in Lee County, and by the Town of Palmyra, in Lee County, shall be organized as a Park District, to be known as "Dixon Park District."

(2). To elect five commissioners of said Park District, to serve in the manner provided by law.

For the purpose of this election the Town of Dixon will be divided into two election districts, as follows:

All of the territory in said Town lying south and east of Rock River shall constitute one election district, the polling place for which shall be at the City Hall in the City of Dixon.

All of the territory in said Town lying north and west of Rock River shall constitute one election district, the polling place for which shall be at Anderson's Shop, on Fellows Street, in North Dixon, in said City of Dixon.

The polls at said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and shall continue open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 6th day of January, 1913.

ROBERT H. SCOTT,

County Judge of Lee County, Illinois.

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# A TRIP TO THE RUMELY FACTORIES

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## To Broaden Our Business

we must know our goods and our factory towns. We want the men who make things hum in the field to know the men who make the improved machines in the shop. Our executives who have watched the growth of our home office city of LaPorte, Indiana, want to see the other cities in which Rumely products are made. They have a real interest in these cities, where so many loyal Rumely men are at work. This trip is also to reward our Honor Salesmen. They have made the past year the biggest so far in sales and service to the farmer. We want to arouse an even greater enthusiasm among them. Our sales force is going to make 1913 a record year. That means activity—expansion perhaps—at our factories. We want the men to see where the machines are to be built to supply the increased demand. So here we are.

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# RUMELY

LA PORTE



### AMBOY ITEMS

Jan. 4—Leonard V. James returned to Urbana Saturday after spending his holiday vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. James. He is instructor at the university in the electrical engineering department.

Miss Myrtle Kenney returned from Arbondale, where she spent her vacation at the home of her mother, to resume her duties as instructor at the Amboy high school.

John P. Theiss of Sublette was in town Friday.

Miss Jennie Carroll spent her vacation with her sisters, Mrs. Fritz and Miss Elizabeth Carroll, at Springfield.

The Knights of Pythias will hold their annual bazaar in the opera house commencing Jan. 13 and continuing through the 18th. The Marquette orchestra of Dixon will furnish music for the dancing each evening.

A union service will be held in the congregational church Sunday evening, at which time Rev. Cross of the Unity school of Chicago University will preach. There will be special music by the choir. In the morning the regular quarterly communion service will be held.

Walter Acker was here Saturday on west of town.

B. Reeves has been quite ill at his home on the west side. Dr. Wilcox is attending for him.

Mrs. Taylor of Kewanee is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Jenkins, during the holidays. Mrs. Jenkins entertained the Card club New Years night in honor.

Miss Grace Cavins returned to resume her duties as teacher in our school. She spent her vacation at her home in Mattoon.

Miss Katherine Lester spent Wednesday with her brother and wife at Schelle, going from there to Pawnee, where she was the guest of Miss Ira Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Wolcott were Ambassadors Saturday afternoon from Ingerance Hill.

Jan. 6—The Misses Weyl of Mt. Morris returned home after having spent the holidays with Miss Cornelia Liger at Binghampton.

Mrs. John P. Honeycutt visited her brother at the Compton hospital recently.

Prof. F. W. Dunlap, wife and children returned to Dixon Sunday evening after having spent several days at the home of her brother Howard and family.

Miss Jennie Oakes of Lee Center passed through here Sunday evening on her way to Dixon, where she is one of the instructors in the North Dixon schools.

Misses Grace Cavins and Myrtle Miller returned to resume their school duties at the Amboy high school.

Rev. Hess of the Divinity school of the University of Chicago, preached the First Baptist church in this

city Sunday morning and in the evening he spoke at the Congregational church. At the evening service special musical numbers were given, there being two anthems by the choir and a flute solo by W. F. Entorf.

Miss Louise James has been spending several days with friends in Indiana. She returned home Sunday evening.

Will Gridley, Glen Vaughan, Edw. James and Misses Heath and Ruth Kiefer were among those returning to the University of Illinois after the holiday vacation spent in their respective homes here.

Quite a little snow fell on Sunday evening, and continued all day Monday.

Mrs. A. A. Carmichael, who has been somewhat indisposed for the last couple of days, is somewhat better.

Miss Mildred Entorf is spending the week visiting with friends in Galesburg.

Miss Anna Welty of Marion township was here Saturday shopping.

Dr. R. V. Moore was called to Chicago on account of the serious illness of his brother.

### MAYTOWN

Jan. 6—Nice weather at present, with a little snow to let us know winter is here.

Wm. Thomas hauled corn to Amboy Saturday.

Miss Agnes Payne visited in Dixon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart visited in Amboy Saturday.

Mrs. L. M. Copeland, who has been ill for some time, is some better at this writing.

Misses Eva Nichols and Carrie Barnes returned home Saturday after a week's visit with friends and relatives in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Acker were in Amboy Saturday.

Thomas Duce shelled and delivered corn to Amboy Saturday.

Chas. Nichols transacted business in Amboy Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barnes visited with Chas. Keger and family in S. Dixon on Sunday.

Noble Bros. had the misfortune to break through a bridge with their big engine. Fortunately no one was hurt. The engine was somewhat twisted.

Mrs. John Stewart Sr. and children are moving from Sheffield to Amboy this week.

John Clayton lost a valuable horse last week.

Dan Haley drove to Amboy Saturday.

Wm. Thomas will hold a closing out sale Friday, Jan. 10.

Mrs. A. L. Stannard is on the sick list.

### NELSON NEWS

Nelson, Jan. 6.—Rev. Potter preached Sunday to a small audience as the weather was very inclement.

Miss Leah Williams visited her father, Mrs. H. W. Phillips a few days last week.

Mrs. R. L. Hamilton and little son spent Sunday in Peoria with friends.

Mrs. J. B. Stitzel spent News Years with friends in Chicago and remained till Monday, accompanied home by Mrs. McKinstry, who also visited there.

A. F. Brown, foreman at the round house has moved his family from Chicago and are located in the Phillips tenant house.

Ray Salmon has been given the position of maintainer at the electric tower at Fulton and will move his family there in the near future.

Mrs. W. A. Fenton of Aberdeen, S. D., is here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cunningham. Alex Taylor of Rock Island, a brother of Mrs. Cunningham, also visited there last week.

Mrs. J. S. Jansson and son John, spent Friday with friends at DeKalb.

W. E. Gray was here from Peoria recently, calling on old friends.

Mrs. Joe Sprout ate New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. Rubendall.

Mrs. Emil Janssen spent a day in Chicago last week shopping.

Phillips Bros. shipped sheep to the Chicago market last week. W. M. accompanied them to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Origiesen and daughter, Miss Tena, Harry Origiesen and son John, ate New Years dinner at the Chas. Barton home in South Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Phillips entertained Mrs. Phillips' parents, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Williams and daughter Leah of Dixon, New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joynt and two daughters spent New Years with Mr. Joynt's sister, Mrs. Tom Leppard and family. Bertha Joynt who has been staying with her grandparents, and attending school, accompanied her parents home.

Many children have been sick here with colds, and la grippe, but all are on the mend. Grip seems to be the style among the older ones also.

### PINE CREEK

Jan. 7—Mrs. Wm. Bovey, who has been quite ill at her mother's home in Dixon, is reported as very much better.

Mrs. Z. Newcomer is expected to arrive home from Chicago today, Monday.

Frank Altar's went to Oregon Monday as grand jurymen and M. F. Fank as bailiff.

Wm. Wernick and family of Oregon spent Sunday at the Wm. Wragg home.

Mrs. Longman is with her daughter, Mrs. Hopper, in Dixon.

F. W. Bovey arrived home Saturday from Chicago. Mrs. Bovey and Kathryn will make a longer visit.

Clyde Long had the Pine Creek telephone installed in the Thos. Morrison home the past week.

### SHAW NOTES

Shaw Station, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Henry July is at the Angear hospital at Sublette quite sick, but all her friends hope for a complete recovery. Evelyn July of the Dixon College and Orville July of Iowa, were called home on account of her serious illness.

The railroad company has certainly let loose of the grain cars there being 9 sidetracked here at one time. The elevator is filling them just as fast as the loaded cars are moved out of the way.

Little Daniel Craig, Jr., has been under the doctor's care, but is better.

The dance held at Wm. Willey's New Years eve was well attended, and all report a fine time.

The ladies of the Shaw Aid society with their husbands met at the W. A. Williamson home on New Years day for a farewell meeting. It was a complete surprise. There were about 12 couples present and all had a pleasant time, although all seemed to realize what they will miss when the Williamson family leaves us. A small purse of money was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Williamson as a token of regard. They expect to leave for California some time in February.

James Wedlock has a new auto, purchased of Lyon & Marsh, of Amboy.

Jasper Risley and Fred Biggart spent a few days this week in Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Townsend visited New Years day with his sister in Dixon.

Mrs. Amos Lefferman is at the Angear hospital in Sublette.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parker from Compton spent a few days this week with Mrs. Sylvia Reinholdt.

Alvin Derr is assisting at the elevator during the corn rush.

Tracy Hodge and family spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hodge.

Miss Eunice Wedlock and Leon Bauer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Hare New Years day.

Joe Miller attended the dance at Wm. Willey's.

James Wedlock and family visited at the Williamson home New Years day.

Willie O'Hare and wife attended the dance at Wm. Willey's New Years eve.

Mrs. Henry July is reported on the sick list.

A. J. Fuller shelled corn last Friday.

Mrs. Gracia Welch and daughter, Carol, returned to Milwaukee after a visit at the home of Mrs. Welch's mother, Mrs. E. C. Sickels.

Miss Frances Austin has returned to school at Elgin after a holiday visit with her mother and aunt, Mrs. E. C. Sickels.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Fielding of Morrison visited at the Walter Preston home today.

### WALTON

Jan. 4—The dance Friday evening was well attended.

Miss Mollie Garland of Harmon is visiting at A. M. Head's.

John Mercer and Frank Dishong were in Dixon Saturday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Head were in Dixon Saturday.

Miss Marie Morrissey returned to Clinton, Ia., Saturday to resume her school duties at the St. Clare Academy.

Tommy Garland of Harmon visited at A. M. Head's a few days this week.

John Head of Erie spent Wednesday with his brother.

E. H. Jones was in Amboy Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Priebe returned on Saturday from Freeport after a two weeks' visit with Miss Margaret Lyons.

Laurence Dempsy Sr., who has been ill at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. O'Rourke of Dixon, has recovered sufficiently to be able to return home Thursday.

Wm. McCoy spent Sunday in Harmon.

Mrs. Max Gordes and daughter Hil-da left last Wednesday for an extended trip to Europe, to be gone two or more months.


Morrissey & Whalen, stock buyers, are buying stock nowadays. They expect to ship 4 carloads to Chicago on Wednesday night.

Mrs. L. Atwood of Oregon has been visiting the last few days with relatives here.

### SICK TREATED FREE THIS WEEK

**Dr. E. O. Gable, the Noted Chicago Specialist will be at the Nachusa House all this week**

*He Offers His Services Free to all Who Call on Him This Trip*



**DR. EDWIN O. GABLE,**  
Author of the Neuropathic System of Treating Diseases.

Dr. E. O. Gable, the Neuropathic Specialist, of Chicago, has been called to Dixon this week to treat some cases and finds it necessary to stay all week. He has rented a suite of rooms at the Nachusa house and will examine and prescribe for at least a hundred people in Dixon this trip. He proposes to make examinations and give his services free to all sufferers of chronic diseases who call on him this trip.

Dr. Gable's object in doing this is to introduce and explain his new system of treating diseases. He is the author of the Dr. Gable Neuropathic System of treating diseases. This system of treatment is founded on the theory that all diseases of the body, no matter where located, are caused by some germ or disease deposit settling in that part. This interferes with normal circulation, presses on the nerves and gradually destroys the functions of the organ, causes irritation of the brain and nervous system. He claims that if you remove this disease deposit, restore circulation and relieve pressure on the nerves, every chronic disease can be cured no matter in what organ it is located or of how long standing, if the treatment is used before the tissues are too badly destroyed.

He has had the most marvelous success in curing old chronic cases of heart disease, valvular trouble and weakness of the heart. He absolutely believes that he can cure every case of rheumatism, either acute or chronic. It relieves all forms of kidney trouble, bladder trouble, weaknesses of these organs. This treatment gives immediate relief to dyspepsia, indigestion, fermentation, constipation, liver trouble. It completely cures every form of blood disease, chronic skin trouble and nervous diseases and diseases of the brain. He wants every person suffering with any of these diseases to call on him at the hotel this trip. He will be glad to explain fully all about this system of treatment, tell you whether or not your case is curable and if it is curable he will give you his services free of charge. If you suffer with any of these chronic troubles you cannot afford to miss this opportunity. Dr. Gable expects to make visits here regularly once a month and after this trip he will make his regular charges for services to all new patients, but everyone who calls this trip, rich or poor, he will give them every attention. His hours will be from 9 to 12, 1 to 5 and 7 to 8. He will be at the hotel all this week, until Saturday night, Jan. 11. Ask for Dr. E. O. Gable.

# CLOSING OUT SALE

## \$20,000 Stock of DRY GOODS

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### Store will be closed Wednesday to arrange stock for this GREAT SALE

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# MOLLY McDONALD

## A TALE OF THE FRONTIER



By  
**RANDALL PARRISH**  
Author of "Keith of the Border," "My Lady of Doubt," "My Lady of the South," etc., etc.  
Illustrations by  
**V. L. Barnes**

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## CHAPTER IX.

Across the River.  
He dropped his hand upon hers, clasping the clinging fingers tightly. "Yes, we can make it," he answered confidently. "Wait until I make sure what is out there."

He had slight recollection of the stream at this point, although he had crossed it often enough at the known fords, both above and below. Yet these crossings had always been accomplished with a horse under him, and a knowledge of where the trail ran. But he knew the stream, its peculiarities and dangers. It was not the volume of water, nor its depth he feared, for wide as it appeared stretching from bank to bank, he realized its shallow sluggishness. The peril lay in quicksand, or the plunging into some unseen hole, where the sudden swirl of water might pull them under. Alone he would have risked it recklessly, but with her added weight in his arms, he realized how a single false step would be fatal. The farther shore was invisible; he could perceive nothing but the slight gleam of water lapping the sand at his feet, as it flowed slowly, noiselessly past, and beyond, the dim outline of a narrow sand ridge. Even this, however, was encouragement, proving the shallowness of the stream. He turned about, his face so close he could see her eyes.

"We shall have to try it, Miss McDonald; you must permit me to carry you."

"Yes."  
"And whatever happens do not scream—just cling tight to me."  
"Yes," a little catching in her throat. "Tell me first, please, just what it is you fear."

"Quicksand principally; it is in all these western rivers, and the two of us together on one pair of feet will



Her Figure Trembled in His Arms and Her Eyes Opened.

make it harder to pull out of the suck. If I tell you to get down, do so quickly."

"Yes."  
"Then there may be holes out there in the bottom. I don't mind those so much, although these cavalry boots are no help in swimming."

"I can swim."  
"Hardly in your clothes; but I am glad to know it, nevertheless. You could keep afloat at least, and the holes are never very large. Are you ready now?"

She gave him her hands and stood up. The Sergeant drew in a long breath and transferred the haversack to her shoulder.

"We'll try and keep that from getting soaked, if we can," he explained. "There is no hotel over in those sandhills. Now hold on tight."

He swung her easily to his broad shoulder, clasping her slender figure closely with one arm.

"That's it! Now get a firm grip. I'll carry you all right."

To the girl, that passage was never more than a dim memory. Still partially dazed from the severe blow on her head, she closed her eyes as Hamilton stepped cautiously down into the stream and clung to him desperately, expecting each moment to be flung forward into the water. But the Sergeant's mind was upon his work, and every detail of the struggle left its impress on his memory. He saw the dark sweep of the water, barely visible in the gleam of those few stars unobscured by cloud, and felt the sluggish flow against his legs as he moved. The bottom was soft, yet his feet did not sink deeply, although it was rather difficult wading. However, the clay gave him more confidence than sand underfoot, and there was less depth of

water even than he had anticipated. He was wet only to the thighs when he tumbled up to the low spit of sand, and put the girl down a moment to catch a fresh breath and examine the broader stretch of water ahead. They could see both shores now, that which they had just left, a black, lumping, dim outline. Except for the lapping

weak just now, but it was the strain. You see," he explained carefully, "I've been scouting through hostile Indian country mostly day and night for nearly a week, and then this thing happened. No matter how iron a man is his nerve goes back on him after a while."

"I know."  
"It wasn't myself," he went on doggedly, "but it was the knowledge of having to take care of you. That was what made me worry; that, and knowing a single misstep, the slightest noise, would bring those devils on us, where I couldn't fight, where there was just one thing I could do."

There was silence, her hands pressed to her face, her eyes fixed on him. Then she questioned him soberly. "You mean, kill me?"

"Sure," he answered simply, without looking around. "I would have had to do it—just as though you were a sister of mine."  
Her hands reached out and clasped his, and he glanced aside at her face, seeing it clearly.

"I—I thought you would," she said, her voice trembling. "I—I was going to ask you once before I was hurt, but—but I couldn't, and somehow I trusted you from the first, when you got in." She hesitated, and then asked: "How did you know I was Molly McDonald? You never asked."

The Sergeant's eyes smiled, turning away from her face to stare out across the river.  
"Because I had seen your picture."  
"My picture? But you told us you were from Fort Union?"

"Yes; that is my station, only I had been sent to the cantonment on the Cimarron with dispatches. Your father was in command there, and worried half to death about you. He could not leave the post, and the only officer remaining there with him was a disabled cavalry captain. Every man he could trust was out on scouting service. He took a chance on me. Maybe he liked my looks, I don't know; more probably, he judged I wouldn't be a sergeant and entrusted with those dispatches I'd just brought in, if I wasn't considered trustworthy. Anyhow I had barely fallen asleep when the orderly called me, and that was what was wanted—that I ride north and head you off."

"But you were not obliged to go?"  
"No; I was not under your father's orders. I doubt if I would have consented if I hadn't been shown your picture. I couldn't very well refuse then."

She sat with hands clasped together, her eyes shadowed by long lashes. "I should have thought there would have been some soldiers there—his own men."

"There were," dryly, "but the army just now is recruited out of pretty tough material. To be in the ranks is almost a confession of good-for-nothingness. You are an officer's daughter and understand that to be true."  
"Yes," she answered doubtfully. "I have been brought up thinking so; only, of course, there are exceptions."

"No doubt, and I hope I am already counted one."

"You know you are. My father trusted you, and so do I."

"I have wondered sometimes," he said musingly, watching her face barely visible in the dawn, "whether those of your class actually considered us as being really human, as anything more valuable than mere food for powder. I came into the regular army at the close of the war from the volunteer service. I was accustomed to discipline and all that, and knew my place. But I never suspected then that a private soldier was considered a dog. Yet that was the first lesson I was compelled to learn. It has been pretty hard sometimes to hold in, for there was a time when I had some social standing and could resent an insult."

She was looking straight at him, surprised at the bitterness in his voice.

"They carry it altogether too far," she said. "I have often thought that—mostly the young officers, the West Pointers—and yet you know that the majority of enlisted men are—well, dragged from the slums. My father says it has been impossible to recruit a good class since the war closed, that the right kind had all the army they wanted."

"Which is true enough, but there are good men nevertheless, and every commander knows it. A little considerate treatment would make them better still."

She shook her head questioningly. "I do not know," she admitted. "I suppose there are two viewpoints. You were in the volunteers, you said. Why did you enlist in the regulars?"

"Largely because I liked soldiering, or thought I did. I knew there would be plenty of fighting out here, and I believed, advancement."

"You mean to a commission?"  
"Yes. You see, I did not understand then the impossibility, the great gulf fixed. I dreamed that good fortune might give me something to do worth while."

"And fate has been unkind?"

"In a way, yes," and he laughed rather grimly. "I had my chance—twice; honorable mention, and all that, but that ended it. There is no bridge across the chasm. An enlisted man is not held fit for any higher position; if that was not sufficient to bar me, the fact that I had fought for the South would."

"You were in the Confederate army? You must have been very young."

"Oh, no; little more than a boy, of course, but so were the majority of my comrades. I was in my senior college year when the war broke out. But, Miss McDonald, this will never do. See how light it is growing. There, they have begun firing already. We must get back out of sight behind the sand dunes."

## RAYMOND POINCARÉ



Raymond Poincaré, premier of France, is a candidate for election to the presidency of the republic at the meeting of the national assembly at Versailles on January 17.

## TRUST CONTROL PLAN

Bristow Would Name Industrial Body of Seven.

Kansas Senator Presents to Upper House a Proposal to Regulate All Interstate Business.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Senator Bristow of Kansas presented to the senate a proposal for an industrial commission of seven members to take over the work of the bureau of corporations and exercise control over all persons, firms or corporations doing an interstate business with gross receipts of more than \$5,000,000 a year. Explaining the bill to the senate he said that it proposed to form a body similar to the interstate commerce commission, to have the same power over industrial concerns that the latter exercises over transportation companies.

"The purpose is to protect the people with some degree of promptness from the extortionate practices of powerful corporations without destroying the businesses they represent," he said.

Senator Bristow's bill would give to the industrial commission power to investigate the financial condition, business operations and management of all big interstate concerns. The commission would in no way be similar to the commission on industrial relations recently authorized by congress to investigate general conditions in the industrial world.

## SOCIETY FOLK NEAR DROWN

Party of Milwaukeeans Thrown Into Lake From Iceboat.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 7.—Speeding along with the wind over the slippery surface of smooth ice, five well known Milwaukee society folk came near death in Oconomowoc lake when the iceboat on which they were riding struck an open expanse and all were thrown into the wintry waters. The party, consisting of the Misses Nancy and Gertrude Van Dyke, Gertrude Maercker, Douglass Van Dyke, son of a vice-president of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, and Edwin Uihlein of the Schlitz Brewing company family, were spending the week end at the suburban home of Fred Pabst, son of the old brewery magnate.

## ZBYSKO DEFEATS ROLLER

Wrestling Champion Beats Opponent in Match at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 7.—Zbyszko defeated Doctor Roller in one of the most scientific contests ever seen in Indianapolis. First fall in 52 minutes; second, four minutes. The crowd was the largest that ever attended a mat battle in this city. Zbyszko left for Watertown, N. Y., where he clashes with Mort Henderson, the eastern heavyweight champion.

## MORGAN OFF FOR EGYPT

Expected to Visit Khargeh, Where He Fitted Out an Expedition.

New York, Jan. 7.—J. Pierpont Morgan sailed today for Egypt on the steamer Adriatic to interest himself in buried treasures. Just about a year ago Mr. Morgan visited Egypt to see the progress of an expedition which he fitted out to make excavations near Khargeh. It is expected he will visit the same vicinity in the present trip.

Express Company's Liability Fixed.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The Supreme court held that express companies are not liable for full value for loss of packages upon which the sender places a lower value to obtain a lower rate, in the case of the Adams Express company against E. H. Croninger of Ohio.

## WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

The Forrester's annual installation of officers occurs at their club rooms Thursday, Jan. 9th, 1913.

John Mahaffey was in town on business Friday afternoon.

Water rent is due. Please oblige the village officials by calling upon them when you are next in town.

G. L. Jeanguenats are moving this week from Route Number two, West Brooklyn, to their new home near Dixon. Mr. Jeanguenats has purchased a farm of some three hundred acres and it is to this place they are taking up their home. We trust they will enjoy the new location and enjoy much prosperity there.

Andrew Chaon was here from Viola township on business Friday afternoon.

D. R. McLaughlin of Pawlaw was a visitor in West Brooklyn Thursday afternoon. Mr. McLaughlin is democratic committeeman for Wyoming township and of course it is needless to mention that he expressed himself as greatly satisfied with the results of the last election.

Andrew Little was in town calling on his many friends and acquaintances Friday afternoon.

The Yocum telephone receipts are at the bank and these taken up by the 19 inst., will be allowed the usual discount.

From conversation with several citizens of Viola township, we are made to feel that the bond issue to be voted upon at a special election on January 14th will carry. This will allow the issuance of \$13,000 or \$14,000 of bonds against the township and provide for the erection of several large bridges and the repair of the highways which have been disturbed by dredging work. As near as we can ascertain the bond issue should carry, for without it the town will be without several very important bridges over the big ditches.

These are bridges that are especially needed and which it can not hardly do without.

William Bittner and son of South Brooklyn were visitors here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Yocum of Franklin Grove were here shaking hands with their many friends and former neighbors Thursday afternoon. Mr. Yocum has had a very successful year during 1912 and feels highly elated over his prospects for the future. This is exactly the sort of news we are happy to receive from Mr. Yocum.

Henry Halbooth was here on business Friday.

Jos. Kuehna of Sublette visited in West Brooklyn Friday with his many friends and acquaintances.

Henry Chaon and family visited over Sunday with their relatives and friends in West Brooklyn.

Isadore Gehant will hold a closing out sale at his home north west of town on or about January 23d. Isadore will move from his farm in the spring as he has sold the place to F. H. Delhotal who in turn has has rented it to Adolph Bauer. Isadore will move to the vicinity of Scarboro where he will erect himself a fine residence near the home of Mr. Ellsworth, Mrs. Gehant's father.

Watch for the sale bills.

During the past week several extra freight trains have been passing through West Brooklyn every day. On Saturday morning the passenger had difficulty in starting from here and it took the engineer at least a half hour to adjust the trouble and go to the next station.

We have talked with several more citizens of Viola regarding the bond issue and since this conversation we are not so sure about the issue being approved by the voters. There seems to be much opposition arising and some of the influential citizens are protesting against the proposition very strongly. Therefore it is a hard thing to answer before hand just how the thing will be decided. Some think one half of the amount asked for should be sufficient so there it is. Not knowing what should be done for the best interests of Viola we will not endeavor to make the mistake of advising anyone how to vote.

Louis Chaon was here transacting business Friday afternoon.

John C. Horton was in town from Compton on business Thursday afternoon.

Ed Henry went to Mendota Friday to get a new Ford auto. Edward has already sold ten of the new machines and is overjoyed with his success in selling this celebrated car.

Peter Barnickel and two boys were in town on business Friday afternoon.

Joseph Wiser and family were in town from Ashton Thursday to spend the day with relatives.

Edward Bresson of Viola township

visited Friday with his friends and acquaintances in West Brooklyn.

Peter Flack writes us from Hazelton, Ia., that he now has a splendid home located just a half mile from town and that they are doing well since their removal from Illinois to that state. Of course Peter enclosed a \$1.50 for the West Brooklyn News as that is part of the joy and contentment found in living away from ones neighborhood. We are glad to hear the good news from Mr. Flack and family. Write again.

John C. Henkel and sons, Frank and Jacob were in town from South Brooklyn Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. O. J. Oester has been spending the week with her folks and other relatives and friends at Sublette.

F. J. Gallisath and family were visitors in West Brooklyn Saturday.

Peter C. Reinhard of Amboy visited this village with his many friends and acquaintances Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harthan were in town from the Valley Saturday morning transacting business.

Miss Jennie Hammond visited over Thursday night in Amboy with her folks.

The dredge has passed the road running straight north of town to the swamps and this gives the residents of that vicinity much relief in knowing that the water will have more of a chance of getting away than if the crew had not reached the road. This is the road past J. B. Mettill's place.

Nobody can show you a better policy if your's is in Illinois Life. See the agents in West Brooklyn at once. Henry F. & Oliver L. Gehant. Give them your application.

Frank Biers was in town on business Friday afternoon.

J. J. Green of Brookings, South Dakota, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Zinke this week. Mrs. Zinke is a sister to Mr. Green.

Fred Santelman of the valley was in town on business Saturday morning.

Henry Gallisath of Rock Island visited with his brothers and sisters in our city for a couple of days last week.

Mathias Haub, Jr., was in town on business Saturday morning.

William Gallisath of Sterling spent part of last week in West Brooklyn and vicinity, with his relatives and friends.

The West Brooklyn News, Chicago Record Herald, Chicago Daily Tribune, and the Chicago Daily Journal offer a splendid clubbing combination, for anyone looking for the best in a local paper as well as the same high quality in a metropolitan publication. Ask about our lists.

Commencing January 15th, the merchants of West Brooklyn and Compton will close their stores at 6 o'clock Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of each week. On Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays the stores will remain open as always. This rule applies to the establishments of F. W. Meyer & M. J. Bieschke in this city and to the Compton Mercantile Co. and John S. Archer in Compton. This will allow the clerks a good opportunity for recreation and enable them to feel better disposed to give better service than ever to their patrons whom they ask to cooperate with them in establishing the new closing hours.

Miss Nora Knauer of Compton visited at F. L. Oester's home this week.

George Kessler was in town from South Brooklyn Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Faltz of Waterman visited at the home of M. J. Bieschke and family over Sunday.

Joseph Graf was here on business Saturday.

Mrs. Kathryn Schmit of Johnsburg visited over Sunday with her sister at the Catholic Rectory.

John Fassig and family were visitors in West Brooklyn Saturday afternoon.

Band practice will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 14th, so let every member of the band be ready for rehearsal.

## CHICAGO ROAD NEWS

Chicago Road, Jan. 4.—Mrs. M. Nurnburg has been visiting the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dachner.

John Du Bois had another hauling bee last week, to haul lumber for his new barn.

A number of the farmers in this vicinity have done their butchering for the summer supply of meat.

Fred Hoyle visited his brother, Lester Hoyle, last week.

Joshua Hoyle of Nachusa, was here one day last week in his new Ford touring car, and with his sons, Lester and Fred and Egford Etnyre, motored to Amboy where Lester purchased a thoroughbred Holstein bull from Green and Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mosshol are the proud parents of a nice baby girl, born Jan. 3rd. Mother and baby are doing well.

Sam Smith and Elmer Burd were in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. Cramer received a gramophone for Christmas and New Year night pleasantly entertained a number of the neighbors who called.

## GRAND DETOUR

Grand Detour, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Arthur Davis, son and daughter, Ash and Esther Foxley spent Monday with Mrs. John Geerhardt.

Mrs. W. E. Sheffield and son, Arthur went to Chicago Monday.

Lou Franks and wife went to on Monday.

J. H. Mumma and wife came home from Rock Falls Monday, where they had been visiting their daughter, Warren Burdick and family. They are now with their son and wife at Oak Ridge.

Mrs. R. G. Remmers and granddaughters, Misses Bertha and Anthonie, Mrs. George Remmers and two daughters, attended the Altman Shepherd wedding Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. Pankhurst drove to Herwig home Wednesday morning to attend the wedding of her daughter, Miss Anna to Leslie Pankhurst. From there she went to J. W. Pankhurst home where she staid all night, returning home Thursday afternoon.

Scott Lowry and family ate their New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Warner.

Wednesday being the 45th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. Mrs. John Mumma, their son Walter and wife entertained them also Mrs. Mumma and wife, from Charles, C. Pyfer and family, Frank Palmer of Oak Ridge, with bountiful dinner. Several others were invited, but were unable to attend.

Miss Ora Mon spent Thursday with the Tholen sisters.

Mrs. Will Winebrenner and children and Mrs. Dan Wakenight spent New Years with Mrs. Sam Shand and family in Dixon.

Mrs. J. B. Werren has returned from the south and been here with her parents for a few days.

Cyrus Tom's brother and friend from Leaf River spent New Years here with them.

Mrs. Lina Kelchner started her home in Wisconsin Saturday called by the illness of her grandchildren.

Mrs. Lester Reese entertained Larkins club and friends Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Marvin Davis. About thirty-five were present and a delicious dinner was served at noon to which all were invited.

Mrs. John Teeter and mother, Mary Lawver of Dixon spent Wednesday with Mrs. Foxley.

A. H. and C. A. Sheffield were in Dixon Saturday on business.

R. G. Remmers and Mrs. George Remmers were in Sterling Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. E. Sheffield came home from Chicago Saturday.

M. L. Cooper and wife of St. Dixon visited her sister, Mrs. C. Wiley, Friday.

Otis Pettiman and family spent Sunday with his brother Sam and wife.

Ora Mon returned to Woosung day night to be ready for her school Monday morning.

Miss Harrington started for Palo Thursday where she will spend the remaining winter with her mother, Mrs. Smith.

R. G. Remmers and wife spent day with their son George.

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FOR RENT. 6 room modern flat with bath, gas, electric light, heated; in the new Spencer building on First St. Call Lloyd Spencer at Dixon Grocery Co. 306\*

FOR RENT. 2 furnished rooms with heat, light and bath, 2 blocks from Utility office. Call at 509 West Third St. 3073\*

LOST. Between 5th street and Henne pin Ave. and St. Patrick's church, string of white beads. Reward for their return. Phone 14587. 43\*

#### Closing Out Sale.

I will hold a big sale of stock, machinery, grain, etc., at my place on Feb. 26, 1913, 17 head of horses, 60 head of cattle, herd of swine and many other things will be sold. Pittman & Kelly, Auctioneers. 305tf\* M. L. DYSART, Nachusa.

#### Combination Sale.

At my Feed Barns, Dixon, Ill., on Friday, Jan. 10, commencing at 12:30 p. m. I have already listed one mate 8 years old, weight 1200 lbs.; 1 bay mare 3 years old, wt. 1000 lbs.; 1 bay mare 12 years old, wt. 1000 lbs.; broke single and double; 1 bay mare broke to all harness, wt. 1100 lbs.; 1 black gelding coming 2 years old, sound and heavy bone. Bring your horses or anything you wish to dispose of; we can sell it for you. Terms made known on day of sale. J. P. MANGES, D. M. Fahrney, Auct. C. R. Leake, Clerk. 34

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

#### TIME TABLE, Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. \*Daily except Sunday.

#### South Bound.

123 Express 11:15 a. m.  
131 Clinton Exp 5:09 p. m.  
191 Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.

#### North Bound.

132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.  
134 Local Mail Daily 6:30 p. m.  
192 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY. Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

#### East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:33 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
24	6:23 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
28	7:22 a. m.	10:15 a. m.
8	8:33 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
14	11:29 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
20	11:15 a. m.	2:50 p. m.
18	4:04 p. m. dly exSun	7:25 p. m.
10	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

#### West Bound.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
17	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:20 a. m.
99	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:30 a. m.
13	10:15 a. m.	11:50 a. m.
19	12:15 p. m.	3:31 p. m.
27	4:35 p. m.	7:20 p. m.
*11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
*1	8:30 p. m.	10:58 p. m.
7	10:16 p. m.	10:53 a. m.
3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.

801 Peoria Pas. Lv. Dixon 8:35 a. m. Ar. Peoria 11:52 a. m.  
\*Los Angeles Limited.

\*Sleepers only. Stops only for passengers to Des Moines, Ogden, Utah and beyond.

#### INTER-URBAN

Effective Dec. 26, 1912.

#### City Cars.

West Bound	Read Down	East Bound	Read Up
10	30	50	10
13	33	Galena & Fellows	27
17	37	Galena & First	23
20	40	Office	20
30	50	Depots	10

Figures denote min. past the hour.

From 6:20 a. m. until 11 p. m. Sunday, first car at 7 a. m.

#### West Bound.

Leave Dixon	Arrive Sterling
*6:00 a. m.	6:40 a. m.
7:20 a. m.	7:55 a. m.
8:40 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
10:00 a. m.	10:35 a. m.
11:20 a. m.	11:55 a. m.
12:40 p. m.	1:15 p. m.
2:00 p. m.	2:35 p. m.
3:20 p. m.	3:55 p. m.
4:40 p. m.	5:15 p. m.
6:00 p. m.	6:35 p. m.
7:20 p. m.	7:55 p. m.
8:40 p. m.	9:15 p. m.
10:45 p. m.	11:22 p. m.

\*Except Sunday.

#### East Bound.

Leave Sterling	Arrive Dixon
*6:43 a. m.	7:20 a. m.
8:05 a. m.	8:40 a. m.
9:25 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
10:45 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
12:05 p. m.	12:40 p. m.
1:25 p. m.	2:00 p. m.
2:45 p. m.	3:20 p. m.
4:05 p. m.	4:40 p. m.
5:25 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
6:45 p. m.	7:20 p. m.
8:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
9:25 p. m.	10:00 p. m.
11:22 p. m.	12:00 p. m.

\*Except Sunday.

# JANUARY CASH SALE

Big discount for cash on all implements in stock during the month of January.

**We Need The Money**  
We need the room. If you need any implements this coming season it will pay you to see us now.

**Glessner Bros.**  
Eldena, Illinois

Almost any out of town relative or friend would appreciate a year's subscription to the Telegraph. It means a letter from home every day and costs less than a cent a day. \$3 a year by mail.

## MARKETS

Oats	27@29
Corn	35@39
Butter	32 37
Lard	11 15
Potatoes	40 60
Chickens	15 18
Ducks	17 20
Turkeys	18 22
Eggs	26 30

#### BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS FURNISHED BY C. F. HER- RICK-SHAW BLDG. C. D. Anderson, Local Manager Chicago, Jan. 7, 1913

Wheat	May 92 1/2	92 3/4	91 1/2	91 1/4
July	89 3/4	89 3/4	89 1/4	89 1/4
Sept	89	89	88 1/4	88 1/4
Corn	May 49 3/4	50 1/4	49 3/4	49 3/4
July	50 3/4	51 1/4	50 3/4	50 3/4
Sept	51 1/4	52 1/4	51 1/4	51 1/4

Oats	May 33 1/2	33 3/4	33 1/4	33 1/4
July	33 1/2	33 3/4	33 1/4	33 3/4
Sept	33 1/2	33 3/4	32 3/4	33 3/4

Pork	Jan 1785	1785	1755	1760
May	1822	1822	1805	1807

Lard	Jan 960	960	942	945
May	982	982	970	970

Rib	Jan 970	975	960	960
May	972	972	965	965

Receipts Today—  
Hogs—32,000.  
Cattle—6,500.  
Sheep—30,000.  
Hogs open steady.  
Left over—5,400.  
Light—730@755.  
Mixed—730@755.  
Heavy—730@760.  
Rough—730@740.  
Cattle slow and steady.  
Sheep strong.  
Hogs close 10 to 15c lower.  
Estimated tomorrow—35,000.

### Public Sale Notes.

Jan. 7—Victor McClannahan, closing out sale, 3 1-2 miles southwest of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 14—Adam Taylor, closing out sale, one mile east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 15—A. R. Beede, Palmyra, 1-2 mile south of Woosung. J. A. 16—John Duffy, 4 miles west of Dixon on north side of river. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 19—Kuper Bros. Bellevue, Ia.; pure bred Duroc brood sow sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Tuesday, Jan. 14—Peter Bovey, 2 1-2 miles northwest. D. M. and A. F. Fahrney, Aucts.

Jan. 22—Sam Eakle, Prophets-town, Ill. Duroc brood sow sale. Rep per, Plumley, Fruin, Aucts.

Jan. 23—Rodney Ayres, closing out sale, 2 1-2 miles west of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 27—Peter Strelt, Lamolite, Ill. Duroc brood sow sale. Plumley, Fruin & Powers, Aucts.

Jan. 28—Kuper Bros. Bellevue, Ia. Duroc brood sow sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 28—Zimmerman & Kays, at McNabb, Ill. Thoroughbred Duroc brood sow sale. Fruin & Plumley, Aucts.

Wednesday, Jan. 29—L. E. Morris, 7 miles south of Dixon on Dutch road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Thursday, Jan. 30—Willis Bel-lows, closing out sale, 4 miles north-west of Woosung. D. M. and A. F. Fahrney, Auctioneers.

Jan. 30—Wm. Harkelman, Ell-wood, Ia. Thoroughbred Duroc brood sow sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 5—George Gilroy, 3-4 miles west of Woosung, Ill. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 5—Gilbert Renner, 7 mi. sw. Dixon, 3 mi. north Harmon. Closing out sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Thursday, Feb. 6—Joseph Horn, closing out sale, 2 1-2 miles south of Dixon on Wagon Factory road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 11—Martin Tosney, closing out sale, 6 1-2 miles southwest of Dixon, Fruin & Pittman, Aucts.

Feb. 3—Will Baker, closing out sale, in East Grove township. Powers & McCall, Aucts.

Tuesday, Feb. 18—Carl Johnson, 1 mile north of Eldena, Ill. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Thursday, Feb. 13—J. P. Gantzert, 3 1-2 miles north of Harmon.

Feb. 12—Joynt and Wernick, two miles north of Dixon on the Wernick farm.

Feb. 19—Harvey Countryman, clos-ing out sale. Two miles south of Dix-

on on Peoria road. Geo. Fruin, Auct. Feb. 20—Wiard Aukes, German Valley, Ill. Pure bred Poland China brood sow sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

The undersigned intending to move to town will sell at his place of resi-dence, just east of the Watson Ice Houses on the McCune road, on Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1913, the following described property, to-wit:

4 Head of Horses consisting of one bay horse 6 years old, weight 1400; 1 sorrel mare, 1 black gelding.  
2 Head of Cattle consisting of two extra good family cows; 4 head of good thrifty shoats; a lot of chick-ens.

Farm Machinery. Two sets of double work harness nearly new, 2 sets of single harness, 1 lumber wagon, 2 buggies, 1 surrey, 1 open rig, one disc, 2 harrows, three walking stubble plows, one potato digger, 1 foot McCormick mower, 1 riding corn plow, 2 walking corn plows, 1 corn sheller, 1 hand corp planter, 1 white wash machine, 1 3-gallon compressed sprayer, 1 100-egg Old Trusty incubator, 1 post hole digger, shovels, forks, 1 barrel churn, milk pans and strainers, chicken coops; also some second hand lumber.

Some household goods, consisting of 2 gas stoves, 1 couch, 1 bureau. A lot of nice laying hens. Other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale will commence promptly at 1 o'clock.

ADAM TAYLOR.

Geo. Fruin, Auct.

A. C. Moeller, Clerk. 56

#### HATS OF FASHIONABLE FAVOR

Soft Crowns Have Caught the Fancy of Parisians, and So of All the World.

Everywhere in Paris the principal feature of the hats for this season is the soft crown. For forming these soft-crowned hats a thick cotton tulle without any stiffening is used. From all that can be gathered, the real algerette diminishes in favor. All sorts of little feathers, particularly those of pigeons and chickens, are much used, the natural chicken feathers varying from light yellow to brick red, and the favorite way of arranging them is in a band almost covering the brim of the hat and sticking up in all directions, five of the largest feathers being placed upright at the back of the hat. These, with the very short breast feathers, tinted in the required shades, give the effect of flowers. Quills have come into use again, and will form one of the simplest and most popular varieties of trimming.

#### DICTATES OF FASHION

Antique jewelry is more than ever in evidence.

Two materials are frequently com-bined in the new wraps.

Wide fur cuffs and collar are used upon the tailored coats.

A noticeable feature of the year is the vogue for mingling furs.

The high waist line continues to find favor among the ultrafashionable.

Much real lace and hand embroidery is shown in the shops for neckwear.

Roman striped ribbons for sashes are a gay and charming note in the fashion world.

Skunk fur, plush, malle and para-dise all together appear on some of the new hats.

One of the newest features of bras-sieres is the trimming down the cen-ter of the front.

Lace sashes and sleeves are anoth-er method of using lace and producing a filmy effect.

#### Accordion-Plaited Negligee.

Among the costume conceits of the



